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Dear Madam:

On May 1, 2008, the applicant timely replied to a U.S. Patent and Trademark Office letter dated April 1, 2008. The applicant has received no response to that reply. Accordingly, please advise the undersigned attorney of the status of the application and when the applicant can expect to receive a further substantive action from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Respectfully submitted,

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